

## EUROPE ASTOUNDED BY TURKISH REVOLT

Sultan, as Well as Diplomats, Surprised.

### YOUNG TURKS IN CONTROL

Inside History of Overthrow of Absolutism Without Shedding of Blood Shows No Parallel in History—Army is Now in the Hands of Enemies of the Government.

London, Aug. 1.—The inner history of the revolution in Turkey is now available. It comes to The Washington Herald correspondent by messenger from a source in which, although it cannot now be disclosed, implicit reliance can be placed.

The writer emphasizes at the outset that the events of the past few days, the importance of which cannot be exaggerated, came with as complete surprise to the acutest members of the diplomatic corps as to the Sultan himself.

Foreign observers are still filled with a spectacle unparalleled in history, namely, a bloodless revolution, with enthusiastic loyalty to a former tyrant. The long and systematic campaign by the Young Turkey party is unequaled in modern times for its skill, its secrecy, and its entire success.

The country had not the slightest suspicion that the whole of the European Turkish army had become a unit for rebellion.

It was known that the navy was liberal in its sympathies. But the navy did not count. Its hundred admirals had never been afloat and the propellers of its three battle ships were kept locked at Yildiz.

**Army a Different Matter.** The army was a different matter. It was the only support and reliance that Abdul's autocracy possessed. The police and civil authorities were of little account.

This is what happened, according to The Washington Herald's correspondent's informant:

"The thing began at Monastir a few days ago, when the garrison mutinied and killed their general, a palace favorite, and took their arms and equipment and the cash that was in headquarters and went into the mountains. The Sultan ordered the troops at Saloniki and Smyrna to crush the rebellion, but they refused to move. Several palace officials who were sent to investigate were shot down by the soldiers. These events were not part of the Young Turks' programme, and their hand was forced by them.

"The Monastir mutiny, however, was only a slight prelude, and the revolutionary party promptly precipitated a crisis. Their leader, Maj. Niazim, telegraphed direct to the Sultan: 'Proclaim a constitution at once, or I will march on Constantinople with 30,000 men.' It was the first intimation Abdul had of the truth. Grand Vizier Farid advised him to yield. The Sultan replied: 'I cannot do this thing without consulting the old viziers, Saad and Kaimil.' They came and said: 'No; you will lose all if you yield.' This is only the beginning of their demands."

### Vizier Ferid Falls.

"Ferid fell, and was replaced with the usual pomp by Saad. Then came another dispatch to the Sultan: 'We demand the heads of Izat and Tassim Pashas.' The Sultan remained silent for a few hours more, and then he received the astounding news that on that day, Thursday, July 23, the garrison of Salonika had proclaimed a constitution, and that his (Abdul's) name had not been mentioned in any of the religious ceremonies that day in any mosque in Macedonia."

"Hot on the heels of this significant announcement came another terrible warning, signed by Niazim: 'In case you do not proclaim a constitution immediately, I will see that your name is not mentioned Friday in any mosque in Istanbul.'"

"Consternation filled the palace. The Sultan called a conference of his most trusted ministers, which lasted till into the morning. Some of the ministers wanted to temporize, but the Sultan finally said: 'No; I gave this constitution in the official name, and I will order the elections at once on the constitution as it stands.'"

"The native press had been ordered to cease publishing that (Friday) morning, and the papers appeared several hours later than usual, but with the official announcement. Constantinople read it, rubbed its eyes, and refused to believe."

### Prisoners are Released.

"That day came another peremptory demand from the revolutionary leader: 'Release all political prisoners.' It was done and only then the country understood. Then followed such scenes of joy and loyalty as rarely have been witnessed."

It will be seen that the foregoing differs from the earlier versions of the revolution. It will be remembered that the first news of the granting of the constitution reached the outside world from Macedonia some hours before it was confirmed from Constantinople. It is now clear that this was a revolutionary proclamation, which the Sultan himself accepted and confirmed later.

This is confirmed by a letter from Saloniki in to-day's Times, which describes the placarding of the city with a revolutionary manifesto by officers in uniform on Wednesday night. One police official who attempted to interfere was shot by an officer. In another case, a policeman protested to an officer who was putting up the manifesto.

"Very well," said the officer. "Wait till I give you back sheesh," and he put a cartridge into the policeman's hand. The policeman took the hint and departed at once. This was done in the most frequent place at Salonica on Thursday at noon.

### Army to Demand Change.

As to the future, only the foolish would venture to prophesy. The Constantinople writer quoted above says the army will demand a complete change in the Sultan's entourage and probably the execution of the greatest malefactors, who have robbed and oppressed the people, and an almost complete change of ministers.

Parliament will meet according to decree in November, but certain reforms must be begun at once. Some express fear that the demands will not be pressed to full fruition. But a backward step now would be fatal to the Sultan.

The key to the situation is the financial question. There never has been a national

budget. The Sultan is the sole treasurer. He refused to allow the Midhat, thirty years ago, to limit him to \$5,000 a day for personal expenses. Since then, the Sultan's personal expenditure has quadrupled. The country, rich as it is, is on the verge of financial ruin. Everything in sight is taxed to the utmost. When a new government begins cutting off expenses right and leaving the Sultan to do, there will be created a body of malcontents. The Sultan will be foolish if he opposes ministerial control of the national finances, but he may do so, and then a fresh crisis will be precipitated.

### Powers Rubbing Eyes.

The European powers as represented at Constantinople are still rubbing their eyes. Germany has received a blow in the solar plexus in the fall of Ferid Pasha, who was her mainstay. Said Pasha is regarded as pro-English, but in these next days to come there will be no question of pro anything, for foreign affairs will be relegated temporarily to the rear, the powers will adjust themselves to the new situation, and only the unwise among them will attempt to hinder reform in any direction.

The Macedonian question seems suddenly to have settled itself, and any further move by the powers will, of course, be postponed, if not abandoned. The danger to Turkey is by no means passed, but there is some reason for confidence. The party which carried out this revolution with consummate skill and restraint may be relied upon to meet successfully any new crisis.

## BLISS HAS A STORY

Indicated He Will Clear Up the Mystery.

### ANOTHER WOMAN IN THE CASE

Friends of the Man Tarrred in Kenyon Street House Insist Victim Will Show that Mrs. Martinson Had Nothing to Do with His Alleged Atrocities—To Wed Another.

"Is Mrs. Martinson the woman in the case?"

This is the question being asked by those investigating the tarring administered to F. E. Bliss on Wednesday night.

Several persons connected with the case have said she is not the woman, and that when Bliss opens his lips at the trial it will be to tell the name of a young woman, single, who was frequently at the Kenyon street house, as that of the woman to whom he considered himself engaged.

### Regarding His Atrocities.

They claim, however, that when Bliss tells his side of the story in the Police Court and has the young woman summoned as a witness for the prosecution, affairs will assume different complexion, and instead of Bliss being responsible for breaking up one or more happy homes, it will be shown that his attentions to the real "woman in the case" were perfectly open and aboveboard. To strengthen this line of defense. It was said last night, will be witnesses who have been with Bliss since he left the woman, and who have heard him announce his intention to make the girl his wife.

That Charles Martinson, Henry Cole, and James L. White have misstated the facts is the opinion of a close friend of the man who was tarred. This man said Bliss had none but honorable intentions in visiting the Kenyon street house. He pointed out that Bliss would not openly live in the flat on the first floor of the Kenyon street house, with the Martinson family on the floor above, had his intentions been otherwise than proper.

Central office detectives who have investigated the case will not give an opinion as to right or wrong. All that can be declared by either Detective or Pratt is that "interesting disclosures will be made at the trial."

It was said yesterday by persons in touch with the office of the district attorney that several of the friends of the Martinsons will be called to give evidence, probably to-morrow. It is believed this turn of events means that the district attorney's office intends bringing out a new phase of the case, as yet not broached.

### The Investigation.

That the investigation of the true reasons for the tarring administered to Bliss is being carried on with persistent vigor is indicated by several of the officials.

The district attorney's office is now confronted with two mysterious cases, the Caspari and Bliss cases. The best men in the office are working in an effort to dispel the mantle of secrecy and mystery surrounding these cases, and when they are brought to trial two sensations are promised.

### Bliss' Partner Talks.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 1.—J. W. Albrecht, who is associated in the bookbinding business with F. E. Bliss, Jr., gave out a statement to the press to-day, in which he declared that Bliss claims Mrs. Martinson was unmarried, and that Bliss was engaged to the woman. Albrecht says:

"Bliss tells me he has known Mrs. Martinson for a long time; that he was in love with her, and was engaged to be married to her."

The diamond ring Bliss gave her was returned to him on Wednesday when the engagement was broken. He says Martinson, Mrs. Martinson, and Bliss for a time lived in the same house.

"Bliss tells me," says Albrecht, "he has an important letter and it will be produced at the proper time. Martinson is about sixty-five years old, and as I understand, is wealthy, being worth in the neighborhood of \$200,000. At all events, Bliss says he thought he was engaged to her, and presented her with a diamond ring. For some reason or other, the supposed engagement was broken. I have no idea of the cause leading to it."

"Bliss told me he went to Martinson and told him he was going to marry her. They got into a row, and he says Martinson, if he thought he was going to keep quiet about this. He opened up like a man and told the whole story, and I'm glad the arrests were made."

"This talk of Bliss being a hypnotist and exerting an influence over Mrs. Martinson is all rot. He doesn't know a thing about hypnotism."

### Chinese to Build Ships.

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—Three members of the Imperial Chinese Commission sent by the Emperor to organize a steamship company to take trade away from the Japan line arrived to-day on the steamer Siberia. They were greeted by the Chinese consul. It is expected that a large amount will be subscribed by Chinese in this country. The commission will go East to investigate steamship lines.

### Jewell Dies on Train.

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—As the 3:09 east-bound New Haven train was pulling into the station here this evening W. D. Spence, of Lynn, Mass., a passenger, dropped dead from heart disease.

## GREAT WHITE PLAGUE

Tuberculosis Congress Will Bring Noted Men Here.

### NOT MERE DOCTORS' MEETING

Paris, Berlin, Naples, and London Have Entertained the Congress and Shown Marked Interest in Its Work and Appreciation of Its Importance—Why Funds Are Needed.

Many citizens of Washington have within the past week received letters asking for contributions for a fund for the fitting reception and entertainment of the delegates to the International Congress on Tuberculosis, which will hold its sessions in this city from September 21 to October 12. The finance committee, of which Dr. Charles W. Richardson is chairman and Mr. Charles J. Bell is treasurer, has instituted an active campaign to secure an adequate fund for the use of the entertainment committee.

The latter committee has already formulated a scheme of entertainment designed to compare favorably with the hospitality of the various foreign cities which have formerly entertained the congress.

Washingtonians are accustomed to conventions, and take them as a matter of course; but a precedent has been established for this particular assemblage, which it would ill become this city to fall below.

### Under Government Patronage.

The congress met in Paris in 1898, in Berlin in 1899, in Naples in 1900, in London in 1901, and again in Paris in 1905. In London it was under the patronage of the government and of the royal family; in Paris it was the guest of the French republic, and President Loubet presided at the initial meeting. When the National Association for the Prevention of Consumption asked the congress to come to Washington, Austria and Japan were competitors for it. It was rumored at the time that Japan was willing to send ships to Europe to bring delegates to her shores.

The finance committee would hesitate to ask the general public with so much confidence for contributions, despite its humanitarian objects, if the International Congress were engaged in a work limited in interest to medical men or limited to the study of the purely medical aspect of tuberculosis. It is far from being a medical congress; for it has long been recognized that the war against the great white plague must be waged far in advance of the line of battle occupied by the medical man. It has become a war in which sanitary engineers, architects, builders, factory owners, employers of every kind, educators, dairymen, cattle men, veterinarians, trained nurses, charity organizations, governing officials of municipalities, and philanthropists are engaged in the study of the problems of poverty, overcrowding, and intemperance—all these, and more, must enlist and fight at the point of vantage, the prevention of the disease. Physicians, as in actual warfare, must remain behind the real line of battle to care for those crippled by the enemy and to restore them to health.

### Notable Exhibit to Be Made.

The International Congress on Tuberculosis will have represented among its delegates workers in all these lines of attack. It will consider problems of interest to all engaged in the pursuits enumerated. It will display an exhibit, the most complete ever made, in which plans and models of institutions for the treatment of tuberculosis, plans of model homes and factories, schemes for town planning, and all devices for the improvement of human environment, will be shown. The exhibit will contain everything which enters into the prevention and cure of tuberculosis. It will contain pathological specimens illustrating every phase of tuberculosis in human beings and in domestic animals, birds, and fishes. It will contain bacteriological specimens illustrating the life history and habits of the germ of tuberculosis and of other germs which stimulate it and associate themselves with it.

The congress will be of benefit to Washington aside from the humanitarian work it proposes to do. The cost of the congress will be about \$50,000, most of which will be raised by the sale of tickets, which will be expended here and there by several thousand delegates sojourning here for the three weeks of the congress, and excursions have been planned to bring other delegates to the city to hear the transactions and to study the exhibits.

Surely the finance committee may expect a willing response to the call for funds when the scope and character of this congress are fully realized by the community.

### BERLIN LIKES DR. HILL.

New Ambassador Wins Golden Opinions from American Colony.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—Dr. David Jayne Hill, the new American Ambassador, continues to win golden opinions in the American colony for his gentleness, his sense of civility. He is frequently one of the company in the reception vestibule of the Hotel Adlon from 7 to 7:30 in the evening, exchanging news and views with American residents and with transatlantic visitors to the city.

### AMERICANS TO PLAY BALL.

German Club to Get Benefit of Proceeds from Game.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—The women's club hopes to repair the damage done to its finances by the removal of the fashionable Motzstrasse, by the game money to be taken at a baseball game between teams representing the American colonies at Dresden and Berlin, which will be played next week. A handsome entrance fee alone will open the almost hermetically sealed gates.

### EMPLOYS NO AMERICANS.

Congo Free State Government Run by Belgians.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—The return of the Congo administration to the Brussels authorities showing the nationality of the 1,735 higher officials now in the state's service reveals the fact that not a single Englishman or American is included. Belgians, naturally, are most numerous, numbering 1,221. The Scandinavians number 230, and the Italians 118.

### HIT HIGHWAYMAN HARD.

Sir W. S. Gilbert, of Opera Fame, Thwarted London Thief.

London, Aug. 1.—Fearful that he broke a bone in his hand by a blow dealt a highwayman, who tried to snatch his watch as he left Covent Garden, Sir W. S. Gilbert, of comic opera fame, is under the care of a physician.

The police have failed to catch the highwayman.

## WANTS MCGOVERN TO QUIT.

Reported La Follette Will Ask Him to Get Out of Senate Race.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 1.—United States Senator Robert M. La Follette wants Francis E. McGovern to withdraw from the contest for United States Senator. He has authorized Herman L. Ekern, speaker of the assembly and one of his most trusted lieutenants, to make known his wishes to Mr. McGovern, and to persuade him anything within his power to grant if he complies with his request.

Many of McGovern's friends say that if it is true that Senator La Follette wants him to withdraw he will do so. According to the report, he will be well taken care of, either by appointment to some position in the Attorney General's department at Washington or to some consular office or district attorney.

## CARDINAL SEES POPE

American Prelate Received at the Vatican.

### PONTIFF PRAISES THE CLERGY

Head of Catholic Church Has Kind Words for Work of His Ministry in the Western Continent—Archbishop Farley One of the Pilgrims, Who Include About 200 Persons.

Rome, Aug. 1.—In an audience to-day to Cardinal Gibbons, and 200 American pilgrims, Pope Pius X spoke in glowing terms of the Catholic clergy in America.

"I am always happy when in the presence of the children from America," he said. "It is a great comfort for me to extend the papal blessing to them. My heart watches their faithfulness and rejoices at the progress the church is making."

Archbishop Farley, of New York, was one of those who accompanied the pilgrims to-day. The Pope expressed his deep satisfaction with the address of Rev. A. P. Boyle, rector of the Apostolic Mission House, in Washington, who told him that within a short time America will be converted to Catholicism.

### SULTAN WALKS THE STREETS

Turkish Ruler Shows Himself to the People of the Capital.

Crowds Cheer When They Learn Abdul Hamid Is Really in Their Midst.

Constantinople, Aug. 1.—Sultan Abdul Hamid this evening created the greatest surprise of the long series of startling innovations that he has inaugurated since the granting of the new Turkish constitution, by walking unattended from his palace, the Yildiz Kiosk, and mingling for an hour with the jostling crowds on the streets.

The people were almost paralyzed when they recognized the hitherto closely guarded ruler walking as freely along the streets as the humblest subject.

The news spread over the city with wonderful rapidity, and there was a great rush of the populace to see the Sultan.

Before the identity of the ruler became generally known the Sultan found keen enjoyment in listening to the comments of the people of the new Turkish regime.

When it became known that Abdul Hamid was actually walking among them, apparently as care-free as the children about him, the people joined in huzzas.

The action of the Sultan was the most astounding illustration of the determination to rid himself of his close surveillance by the police and secret service officials.

### TOY SHIP TAKES LIFE CARGO

Little Boy, Reaching for Escaping Boat, Drowns in Creek.

Playmates, Helpless, Watch Him Struggle in Water—Men Come Too Late to Save.

His eagerness to recover a small sailboat that was rapidly drifting beyond his reach caused the death of Frank Berleim, eight years old, of 316 Twenty-fifth street northwest, about 3:25 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The tragedy occurred under the bridge over Rock creek at Twenty-eighth and K streets northwest.

After several hours' work, police of the Third precinct recovered the body. The coroner was notified.

A dozen small boys were playing under the bridge, and helplessly watched the efforts of the drowning boy to save himself. The boys had been sailing toy boats, and Frank's miniature ship had been caught by the current and was rapidly going down stream. He reached for it with a stick, but lacked about an inch of reaching far enough. He leaned far over, and losing his balance, slid down the bank into the creek.

The boy struggling with the ingulfing waters and his helpless comrades on shore shouting for assistance attracted several men, who ran to the banks of the stream from the bridge, but were too late to catch the little chap, and he drowned before their eyes.

Police of the Third precinct were notified, and they began dragging for the body. The swift current and many snags made their work difficult, and it was several hours before the body was recovered.

### BISHOP BRENT IN BOSTON.

Will Come Here This Week to Consider Accepting See.

Bishop Brent, of Manila, who is expected to succeed the lamented Bishop Satterlee in Washington, has arrived in Boston.

Charles Warner, secretary to Dr. Satterlee, said last night that Bishop Brent was expected to reach Washington early in the present week. The Manila prelate will come to this city for a conference with the standing committee of seven of the Washington diocese, at the conclusion of the Episcopal Missionary Society conference, which he is now attending in Boston.

All arrangements have been made for the conference in Washington, and it is thought that when this closes announcement will be made that Bishop Brent, elected to the bishopric of Washington, will remain here.

## HEADS 15,000 MEN

Sultan Abdel Aziz Marching on City of Marrakesh.

### HITTING AT THE PRETENDER

Object of Attack Is Most Important Stronghold of Mula Hadid in Southern Morocco—Lacking Fortifications, It Is Believed Town Will Fall Before the Invaders' Force.

Tangier, Aug. 1.—Sultan Abdel Aziz is marching on Marrakesh with an army of 15,000 men.

Though his force is ill-organized, undisciplined, and practically without artillery, it is believed that Marrakesh, lacking fortifications, will fall.

The point is most important to the pretender, Mula Hadid, in Southern Morocco, and its fall will be a heavy blow to his influence.

Abd el Aziz's staff of European advisers includes, besides a small party of French officers, Caid MacLean's chief of staff, Col. Boking, and Dr. Verdon, his majesty's private physician.

### CARMODY GETS A YEAR.

Thirty Dollars Got from Wife by Ruse Proves Costly.

John Carmody, alias John Brown, who procured \$30 from his wife, who is in Boston, several days ago, by impersonating Charles N. Underwood, a tinner, of 73 H street northwest, this city, and telling her he was dead, was sentenced to twelve months in the workhouse yesterday.

In addition to paying long-distance telephone, Carmody is alleged to have sent his wife a telegram, signing Underwood's name, notifying her of his death in a hospital here and asking for \$30, to pay funeral expenses.

After forwarding the money, Mrs. Carmody wrote to Maj. Sylvester, asking if it were true her husband died in a hospital here. She also wrote that she had heard that his body had been taken to Richmond by a woman.

She was then notified that her husband was not dead, and told that he was to be prosecuted. The police authorities failed to receive a reply from Mrs. Carmody.

## SUNDAY NOT TO STOP CRUSADE

Small Grocery Stores to Be Visited To-day by Inspectors.

Arrests So Far Have Reached Approximate Total of 75, and Nearly All Were Fined.

According to the orders of the health officer, inspectors who have been actively engaged in the cleaning-up crusade for the last few weeks will be busily engaged to-day, notwithstanding the fact that it is Sunday, in visiting certain small grocery stores in the thickly populated portions of the city.

"Although the merchants of Washington are rapidly becoming educated to the regulations of the health office," an official said yesterday, "still the men will continue their efforts to-day rounding up those who persist in disobeying the mandates issued by Dr. Woodward."

It was announced by the health department that up to and including Saturday, July 25, forty-five prosecutions had been made against persons who were found to be conducting unclean or insanitary establishments.

Although the records for the last week have not yet been compiled, it is understood that the total number of arrests since the crusade began numbers 75 or 80. The fine in each instance where conviction was secured was \$5.

The work of the inspectors yesterday was confined to barber shops and markets. Although no official report was made to the department, it is understood that several warrants were obtained for violations of that section relating to the sale of unwholesome food.

A singular circumstance in connection with the crusade is that no case has been lost. In only one instance was there any friction between the court and the health authorities. This occurred when the manager of a Pennsylvania avenue luncheon was summoned before Judge Aukman in the Police Court and pleaded innocent of the charge because he was not the proprietor.

Dr. Woodward in a statement issued yesterday said the crusade will continue with undiminished vigor until Washington is a model city for cleanliness. He wishes it understood that the matter will not be dropped until the city is a permanent fixture in the routine business of his department.

### TOURNAMENTS A SUCCESS.

Dr. Curtis Is Pleased with the Playgrounds Events.

Supervisor of Playgrounds Dr. H. S. Curtis is much pleased with the results of the athletic tournaments held throughout the city last week, and last night said the field day events served as a striking illustration of the training the children are receiving in the playgrounds.

Dr. Curtis said there were more juvenile entrants and greater enthusiasm shown this year than ever before, and he was glad to note the improvement in the skill and prowess of the youngsters. He also commented on the courtesy manifested by rival teams for honors on the athletic field.

"Parents, old and young, were out in force and as enthusiastic over the events as the children themselves," said Dr. Curtis. "Some of them could scarcely contain their enthusiasm while their children were competing."

"The northeast has shown its interest in the Reocade playground in a number of ways. When the small pavilion there was destroyed by vandals during the first winter, it was rebuilt by the young men of the neighborhood. They have also put up a large part of the apparatus themselves. They made their baseball diamond and built their own running track."

"The conduct of the children who make use of this playground is not perfect yet by any means, but the improvement has been great, and credit is generally due Mrs. Stewart, the director, for her tireless efforts at Noel House."

With the \$5,000 which has been granted by Congress for the improvement of the playground, it is hoped to surround it with a double row of trees, and to separate the girls and boys by other trees and a strong fence or hedge. There will be a well equipped outdoor gymnasium for girls and another for the boys.

The joint committee of Noel House and the Playground Association has raised \$450 toward the cost of a field house in this playground. With such a house, this playground would serve all the community's need for recreation and sociability."

## NOT TO WED HACKETT.

Charlotte Walker Declines Story She Will Marry Actor.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—Charlotte Walker, the actress playing "The Wolf" at the Chicago Opera House, when asked about the report from Texas and New York that having been divorced from her husband, Dr. John Haden, of Galveston, she would soon wed James K. Hackett, declared that she had not yet received a divorce decree, and added:

"Mr. Hackett, it is true, has been very kind to me, and I appreciate his kindness. But the story that I am going to marry him is absolutely false. I am not getting a divorce to marry any man, and especially not to marry Mr. Hackett."

### ENGLAND'S NEW DISEASE.

It Is Called Pagenantitis, and Society Has It Bad.

London, Aug. 1.—Pagenantitis, is, indeed, becoming a disease in England. Now society is affected by it, and this coming week titled men and women will give a pageant at Serby Hall. It will be called King Harry's revels, and lords and ladies of King Edward's court will impersonate lords and ladies of the court of King Henry VIII, in many cases their own ancestors.

Abd el Aziz once visited Serby Hall, the pageant will be given on the very terrace where he walked.

## EARLY BETTING TRIAL

Gov. Hughes to Call Extra Term of Court.

### AUGUST 25 THE DATE SET

Decision Reached at Request of Acting District Attorney Elder.

Judge Watson M. Rogers, of Watertown, to Preside—Racing at the Beach to Be Closely Watched.

New York, Aug. 1.—Gov. Hughes announced at Saranac Inn, N. Y., to-day that at the request of Acting District Attorney Robert H. Elder, of Kings County, he will call an extraordinary trial term of the Supreme Court of Kings County to hear the betting cases on August 25, and that he will designate Judge Watson M. Rogers, of Watertown, to preside over such term.

The grand jury will be called for this term of the court, the County Court of Kings County not being in session at that time.

The governor's announcement followed a conference between the governor and Mr. Elder. Mr. Elder went to Saranac early to-day from Brooklyn, and shortly before noon conferred with the governor.

Indictments were discussed. It is understood they discussed the presentment and indictments handed down yesterday by the Kings County grand jury for alleged violations of the anti-race track gambling laws, and also the race track situation generally in New York.

It is understood that Mr. Elder made the request for calling the extraordinary session of court, in view of the fact that racing will be resumed at the Brighton Beach track on August 15, following the Saratoga meeting, and he is anxious to see how the laws will be observed at that time.

**HOBSON EXPECTED TO-DAY.** Parents of Mrs. Kyle Say